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## HOME (ELECTIONS) DEPARTMENT

### NOTIFICATION

The 18th June, 2019

No.11793-VE(A)-145/2019/Elec.- The following notification issued by Election Commission of India, New Delhi is hereby republished in an Extraordinary issue of the official Gazette of the State of Odisha for general information.

By order,

SURENDRA KUMAR  
Chief Electoral Officer & *Ex Officio*,  
Principal Secretary to Government

## ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA

Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001

Dated: 18th June, 2019  
Jyaistha 28, 1941 (Saka)

### NOTIFICATION

No. 100/CS-OD/6/2019(1): - **WHEREAS**, the seat of Soumya Ranjan Patnaik in the Council of States, elected by the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Odisha, has become vacant on 06.06.2019 by the reason of resignation, before the expiration of his term of office which was up to and including 03.04.2024; and

**WHEREAS**, a bye-election is to be held for the purpose of filling the vacancy so caused;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in pursuance of section 147, sub-section (1) of section 39 and section 56 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Election Commission of India hereby -

**(A) calls upon** the elected members of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Odisha to elect, before 09<sup>th</sup> July, 2019, and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder, a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy in the Council of States;

**(B) appoints**, with respect to the said election;

- a) the 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 (Tuesday), as the last date for making nominations;
- b) the 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 (Wednesday), as the date for the scrutiny of the nominations;
- c) the 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 (Friday), as the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures;
- d) the 05<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 (Friday), as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken; and
- e) the 09<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 (Tuesday), as the date before which the election shall be completed; and

**(C) fixes the hours** from **9.00 a.m.** to **4.00 p.m.**, as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above for the election.

By order

VARINDER KUMAR  
Principal Secretary to the  
Election Commission of India